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MEMO FOR: Mr. Roger Hilsman  
Director, INR  
Department of State

**SUBJECT:** USIB Letter to  
Dr. Whitman re  
Exchange Program

In line with the Board's decision, would you please pass the attached letter and the Exchange Committee report to Dr. Whitman.

SIGNED

C. P. CABELL  
General, USAF  
Acting Director

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Dr. Walter G. Whitman  
Science Advisor  
4906 Department of State  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Dr. Whitman:

At a recent meeting the United States Intelligence Board noted and discussed the annual report of its Committee on Exchanges for 1960. In the course of discussing the long-term scientific exchanges and attendance at national scientific conferences, various members expressed concern regarding the lack of opportunity afforded the U.S. to obtain benefits comparable to those which the USSR is believed to have received from the exchange program in these two areas. Accordingly, the USIB agreed to recommend that appropriate steps be taken to strengthen the U.S. position and generally improve the degree of reciprocity in these aspects of the exchange program.

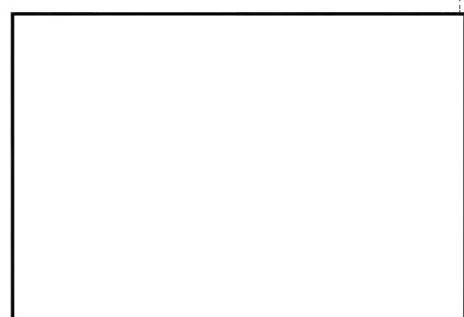
Because of the primary role of the State Department in handling the exchange program, and your responsibility for advising the Secretary regarding scientific developments which might impinge on foreign policy, the Board agreed that it would be appropriate to forward these suggestions to you through Mr. Hilesman. Accordingly, we are forwarding these recommendations and a copy of the Exchange Committee report to you for review and such action as you deem desirable.

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Sincerely,

SIGNED

C. P. Cabell  
General, USAF  
Acting Director



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<p><b>Remarks:</b></p> <p>1. This letter was approved by Intelligence Board members on a "no objection" basis (see background papers).</p> <p>2. Please initial or sign the transmittal note to Mr. Hilsman as well. You will recall the Board wished him to pass the letter and report to Dr. Whitman.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 40px; margin-top: 10px;"></div>				
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